

TOMBSTONE EPITAPH.

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THE total number of immigrants who arrived in the United States during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1896, was 344,267, being an increase of 84,731 over the number for the preceding year, and of 45,147 over the number of arrivals for the year ended June 30, 1894.

The enforced activity in the mines at this season of the year, by reason of the necessity for doing the annual assessment work upon the mines, is resulting in the development of many new ore bodies upon which work will probably be continued after the assessment work has been completed.

A Connecticut lawyer, having called a brother lawyer "an ass," has now been prosecuted for libel, with damages at \$10,000. Of course he cannot afford to let the plaintiff get a judgment against him by default, so the case will have to be heard in court, and just what means the plaintiff will take to prove that he is really not an ass, passes conjecture.

The effort being made to obtain another hearing of the bill to annex part of Coconino county to Utah is vigorously opposed by Delegate N. O. Murphy. This is as it should be.

The editor of the Bloomfield Monitor is the father of newly arrived twins. This doubly increased responsibility and expense ought to arouse Monitor delinquents, if there be any such on its subscription books.

The Clarke Leader uses two lines to "thank God it only happens but once in two years." A neighborhood publisher is wondering whether this has reference to the presidential election just past, or to the recent arrival of a new baby that has "come to stay" with the Leader family.

Not long ago a Las Cruces sportsman taught his dog—a finely bred, well behaved setter—to chew tobacco. Now the dog comes into the house from the rear, never goes to church, is careless at his meals, gets burs in his tail, goes with a lower grade of dogs, and it is believed he is becoming interested in politics.—Ex.

The Alabama senate has passed a bill admitting women to practice law. Representative Timberlake's ridiculous bill, proposing to make it unlawful for Alabama women to wear bloomer bicycle costumes, divided skirts, shirt waists, or anything else which might be held to resemble male attire, was unanimously defeated.

If brevity be the soul of wit, all hate should come off to the Chicago Tribune for the remarkable condensation of the president's message. Under the heading of "The Message Boiled Down—to Congress" it proceeds as follows: "Things are about the same in Turkey. Spain has not crushed the Cuban rebellion yet. The United States and Great Britain have quit making faces at each other. Our ambassadors need better dwellings. It costs like everything to run this country. Still, we need to spend a little more money on the army and the seacoast defenses. Our postal department is O. K. Ditto our navy. Indian affairs need overhauling. The pension list is still too big. We must look after those Pacific railroads more closely. Free distribution of garden seeds is a humbug. I think I have been doing pretty good work in reforming the civil service. The interstate commerce law needs a little patching. The Wilson bill is all right. Shoot the greenbacks. The trusts must go. Let us be economical. GROVER CLEVELAND."

Two Lives Saved.
 Mrs. Phoebe Thomas of Junction City Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery cured her, and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which there are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of the medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at Tombstone and Bisbee drug stores. Regular size 50c and \$1.00.

BISBEE NEWS.

Bisbee, Dec. 23, 1896.

COPPERINGS.

A. A. McKee's left this morning for Tucson for a short visit.

William Fahey, an old time Bisbee miner, who has been away in Colorado for about two years past, returned on the train this evening. Colorado is all right, but what's the matter with Bisbee?

Arnold Schmid came in on the train this evening to spend the holidays at home. Arnold is one of Bisbee's youths who is at present putting in his best time at the preparatory school at the University of Arizona. This is Arnold's first visit home since his entrance to the school and he will undoubtedly enjoy his visit.

It's no use gainsaying the fact that Bisbee is making a most rapid growth, for persons who are not away from the place for more than four or five months are much struck by the changes in those short periods. We earnestly advise all retired merchants and capitalists to come over and invest in Bisbee town lots.

The Christmas festivities for the children of the Catholic Sunday school and church here were held at the rink here last evening and occasioned quite a little fun for the little ones. The usual program was omitted, but Mr. Ingle was so well fitted for his part of Santa Claus that the evening went off very well, and every one went home well satisfied with the enjoyable time they had spent.

J. J. Patton, foreman of that prince of Arizona dailies, THE TOMBSTONE PROSPECTOR, is over on a short visit and is taking in the sights. This is Mr. Patton's first visit to Bisbee in almost three years and he is much struck at the changes that have taken place in the meantime. As he graphically states, "the first thing I saw at Bisbee was change, and I have been seeing the same thing ever since."

The hunting party which left for the Ojo mountains about ten days ago returned yesterday well browned and in the best of health. The party included Frank Pendleton, Clarence Coffman, James M. Johnson and Little Jimmy Munch. They intended to remain away a week longer than they did, but owing to a slight scarcity of game and also to the pitiful pleadings of Little Jimmy for a soft bed and—batter, they determined to return in time for the Rebeckah entertainment and ball this evening. Jimmy declares that the above is only a joke, and wants to bet an even hundred that he's the best duck trailer in the county. We guess he is.

Bisbee, Dec. 25, 1896.

COPPERINGS.

A large number of gentlemen and also a few strangers came in on the train last night to spend Christmas in town. A number of races are also to come off during the afternoon and this will add quite a little to the attractions.

Quite a number of Bisbee's young folks from the university at Tucson came in on the train last evening to spend the holidays at home; among them we noticed Bert Warner, Ed and Nellie Hughes, Lillie Burr and Herbert Brown. They are all well pleased with the school and arrangements there and their greatest desire in all cases is to be able to complete their various courses.

The entertainment given Wednesday evening by Unity Rebecca Lodge No. 3 was quite a novelty to the people of Bisbee, and was all of the success which it so richly deserved to be. The ladies of the lodge put themselves to a great deal of trouble in getting up the various features but they were fully repaid by the numerous comments of approval which they heard on all sides. The features were all well received without exception from first to last, and the singing was particularly praiseworthy. At the conclusion of the entertainment hot coffee and a light luncheon were served by the ladies, after which the floor was cleared for dancing and the young folks enjoyed themselves to the full till the usual hour of closing had long been past. Taken all in all it was a most enjoyable affair from the start and we hope our fair friends will not forget that they know how to get up a good entertainment and will favor us with another soon as occasion offers.

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District attorney..... 3,000

Justices of the peace..... 1,000

Constables..... 1,000

The Tyranny of the Desk.

We will suppose that your occupation

is sedentary—that you are chained, so to

speak to the desk in some counting house

or perhaps to the loom in some vast mill

where you are compelled to labor from

morning to night. Sunday is your only

day of relaxation. You return home

every evening worried mentally and

bodily. Your health and strength begin

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The usual Christmas tree festivities

for the young folks took place in the

Library Hall last evening and drew an

unusually large crowd. The little

ones were all well remembered and

were as happy as they possibly could

be. This is one of the most pleasing

of our yearly events and one which

affords much fun and enjoyment

as anything that ever takes place and

we are much pleased to note it growing

in favor. After the regular gifts

for the children were distributed, a

large number of presents which had

been handed in by various parties for

presentation were given out. This

feature always occasions a number of

pleasant surprises and as usual some-

one remembered us in a manner cal-

culated to subject us to the laughter

of the multitude. We guess its all

right though and hear the young lady

no ill will for her little ally, and now

that the thing is all over and the laugh

passed we will cheerfully return her

delicate drink cup, if she so desires,

as we know that she must feel for it

as for a last companion. It is not our

desire to deprive anyone of their cus-

tomary luxuries and so we feel that of

right the cup ought to be returned to

its rightful owner.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.

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Christmas Eve.

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There will be no programme this year

but arrangements have been made so

that the children may enjoy them-

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